Statement

Country Wise Retails of RCAC Issued by Apenda for Export of MIlk Powder (1995-96)

QTY: IN MT
VAL: IN USD

COUNTRY	QTY.	VAL.
Bangladesh	1750	36,19,500
Nepal	65	1,31,361
Sri Lanka	147	3,01,753
Belgium	375	7,21,875
UAE	151	3,22,113
Zangibar	32	73,400
Philippines	48	99,984
Indonesia	32	66,560
Oman	31.5	67,870
Thailand	144	2,88,000
Holland	200	4,04,000
	2975.5	60,96,416

Financial Assistance Provided by NBT

2044. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the National Book Trust provides financial assistance to private publishers for the publication of books; and

(b) if so,the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM SAIKIA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The National Book Trust, India, provides financial assistance to authors and publishers for producing books of a acceptable standard at reasonable prices for students and teachers of Indian Universities and technical institutes under its scheme for the subsidised publication of books. The books are published in English, Hindi or in any other language listed in the 8th schedule of the constitution.

The books subsidised under the scheme are those for which a definite need is felt and which relate to subject areas where books of an acceptable standard are either not available or are so highly priced as to be beyond the means of the majority of sutudents.

The author receives royalty equal to 20% of the published price of the subsidies edition of the book, directly from the Trust, on publication of the book. The publisher is paid 50% of the total cost of production of the book, as subsidy.

Higher Scales of pay for Hindi Teachers

2045. SHRI RAHASBIHARI BARIK: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Hindi teachers appointed by Government under the Central Schemes in diferent non-Hindi speaking States have been demanding higher scale of pay; and

(b) if so, the steps taken to consider their demands?